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MEMORANDUM FOR: See Distribution

FROM : Michael J. Malanick

Acting Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT : Conference of Headquarters Support Chiefs

of Headquarters Components

1. Last week the SSA/DDA announced that we plan to hold a support conference on Monday and Tuesday, March 6 and 7. We should like the conference to be attended by the Chiefs of Support of Headquarters components with overseas installations. The objective of the conference will be to discuss and, if possible, reach definitive conclusions concerning certain aspects of overseas administration in the foreseeable future.

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2. We intend that this be a working conference, rather than a seminar. We have listed below four major subject groups which will be discussed, and after each group we have listed the names of the participants who will be responsible for the development of a presentation concerning that subject. We should like to have the separate discussion papers completed and distributed to the other participants by February 17. In developing the paper you may solicit the views of others who can contribute to your subject.

Monday AM

Impact of the reduction of DDA slots in the DO, the feasibility of regional

support centers, and any other new concepts.

Monday Afternoon:

Role of Ops Support Assistants, and the desirability of re-opening the MG career service.

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E2 IMPDET CL BY 006624 Monday Evening:

New administrative concepts, possible ADP applications, possible restructuring of admin work, and the desirability of having a Mission Administrative Council at each post, as a counterpart of the

Interagency Committee.

Tuesday AM

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- 3. The conference is scheduled to open at 0900 on Monday, 6 March. There will be morning, afternoon, and evening sessions on Monday, and a morning session on Tuesday to discuss the four subject groups listed above. The afternoon session on Tuesday will be used to discuss any other subjects which arise during the conference, and for a wrap-up of the conference. The conference will adjourn at the end of the afternoon session on Tuesday.
 - 4. If there are other points which you believe should be included in the subject groups, please let me know as early as possible.

/s/ Michael J. Malanick
Michael J. Malanick

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	140			have any suggestions for additional topics you might want us to consider, please let me
4.	1			know. Also, if you and/or John #2 are available, you may want to come down and spend the
5. 4 4 4 A				evening with us. STAT
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